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9:1 Be not jealous
over the wife of thy
bosom, and teach
her not an evil lesson
against thyself.

9:2 Give not thy soul
unto a woman, to set

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**her foot upon thy
substance.**

**9:3 Meet not with an
harlot, least thou fall
into her snares.**

**9:4 Use not much the
company of a woman
that is a singer, least
thou be taken with her
attempts.**

9:5 Gaze not on a

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**maid, that thou not by
those things, that are
precious in her.**

**9: 6 Give not thy soul
unto harlots, that thou
lose not thine
inheritance.**

**9: 7 Look not round
about thee, in the
streets of the city,
neither wander thou**

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**in the solitary places
thereof.**

**9:8 Turn away thine
eye from a beautiful
woman, and look not
upon anothers beauty:
for many have been
deceived by the
beauty of a woman,
for herewith love is
kindled as a fire.**

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**9:9 Sit not at all with
another mans wife,
nor sit down with her
in thine arms, and
spend not thy money
with her at the wine,
least thine heart
incline unto her, and
so thorough thy
desire thou fall into
destruction.**

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9:10 Forsake not an old friend, for the new is not comparable to him: a new friend is as new wine: when it is old, thou shalt drink it with pleasure.

9:11 Envy not the glory of a sinner: for thou knowest not what shall be his end.

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9:12 Delight not in the thing that the ungodly have pleasure in, but remember they shall not go unpunished unto their grave.

9:13 Keep thee far from the man that hath power to kill, so shalt thou not doubt the fear of death: and

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**if thou come unto him,
make no fault, least he
take away thy life
presently: remember
that thou goest in the
midst of snares, and
that thou walkest
upon the battlements
of the city.**

**9:14 As near as thou
canst, guess at thy**

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neighbour, and
consult with the **wise**.

^{9:}**15** Let thy talk be
with the **wise**, and
all thy communication
in the law of the
most high.

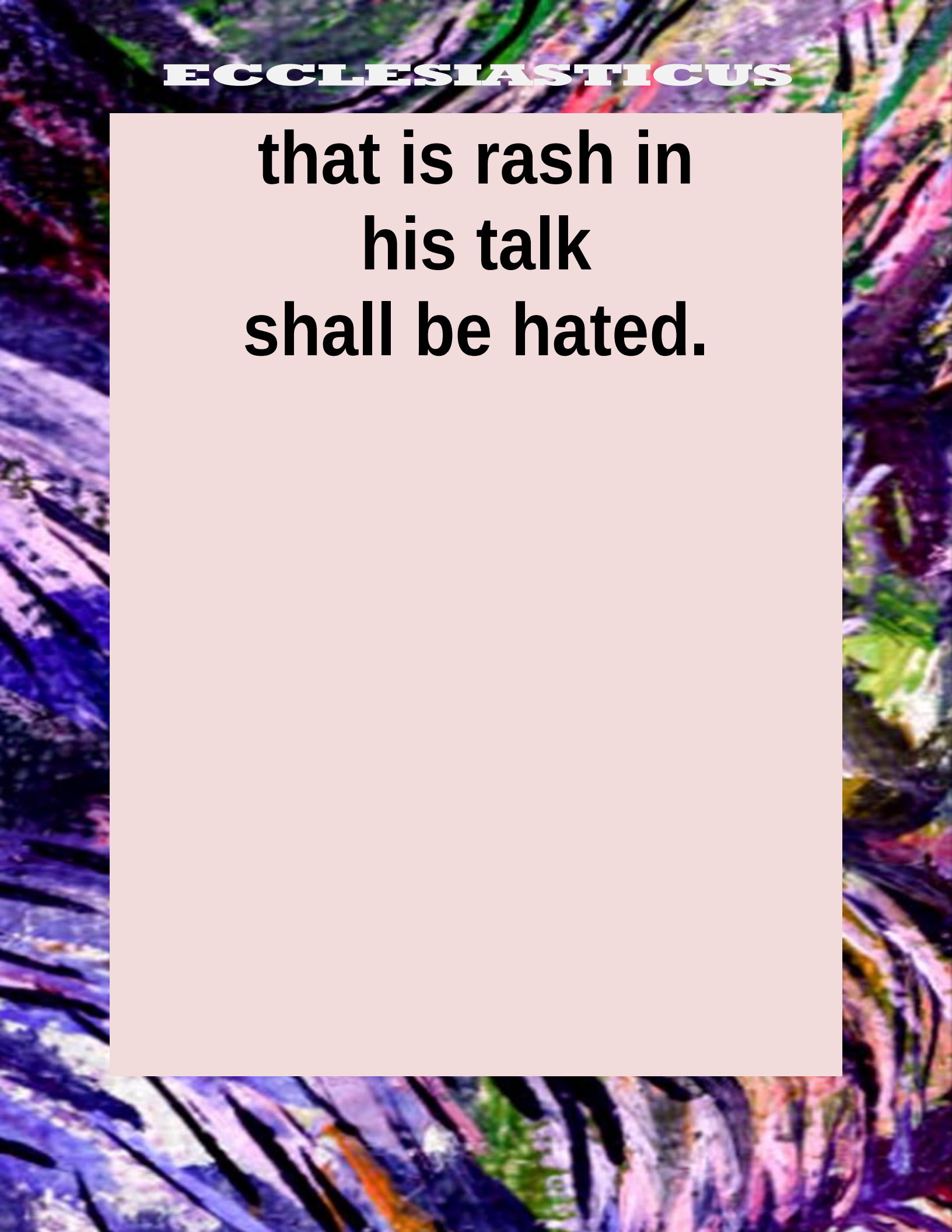
^{9:}**16** And let just men
eat and drink with
thee, and let thy
glorying be in the

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fear of the Lord.

^{9:}**17** For the hand of the artificer, the work shall be commended: and the **wise** ruler of the people, for his speech.

^{9:}**18** A man of an ill tongue is dangerous in his city, and he



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**that is rash in
his talk
shall be hated.**